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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **KAMATA, Takeshi, et al.**

Group Art Unit: 2831

Serial No.: 10/536,458

Examiner: **Chau N. NGUYEN**

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For. **COVERED WIRE AND METHOD OF DISTINGUISHING THE COVERED WIRES**

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: December 14, 2006

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Final Office Action dated **July 17, 2006** for two months, from **October 17, 2006** to **December 17, 2006**.

Attached is a check in the amount of \$450.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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